# **GRADUATE ACCOUNTANCY PROGRAMS AT A GLANCE**

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UTEP's Graduate Accountancy Programs include the Masters of Accountancy (MAcc) and the Certificate of Accountancy (CA). The UTEP MAcc is for individuals preparing for careers in professional accounting fields or for practicing accountants wishing to increase their expertise. Completion of the MAcc degree meets the educational requirements to take the CPA exam in Texas. Requirements consist of 36 semester hours of courses in accounting, business law, economics, quantitative methods, marketing and finance. These courses may be waived for students who have completed equivalent courses at a university accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business International (AACSB).

The UTEP CA is for individuals who wish to enhance their education and complete courses in research, communication, and ethics requirements. Individuals with a bachelor's degree in a field other than accounting may qualify for admission by completing specific undergraduate business and accounting leveling courses.

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The UTEP Graduate Accountancy Programs are accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business, AACSB International. The UTEP College of Business Administration has earned AACSB Accreditation for both its Business Administration and Accounting programs. Less than 5% of Accounting business schools world-wide have earned this prestigious designation from AACSB International which provides global leadership in advancing management education.



**AACSB Accredited** 





## **Our Competitive Advantage**

**INTERNAL AUDITING EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP (IAEP)** - Accepted at the Foundations level; one of 48 universities across 12 countries accepted into the partnership program.

HIGHLY QUALIFIED AND DIVERSE FACULTY - Faculty are published in top scholarly journals which include, but are not limited to *Journal of Accounting Research*, *Journal of Accounting Auditing and Finance*, *International Journal of Accounting*, and *Review of Accounting Studies*.

BILINGUAL - 75-80% of our student body is bilingual.

**BICULTURAL** - 85% of the student body are Mexican American and 8% are of International origin.

#### **Enrollment**

Academic Semester	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	Fall 2016
Graduate Accountancy Programs	56	67	63

### **Degrees Conferred**

Academic Semester	Fall 2014	Spring 2015	Fall 2015	Spring 2016	Fall 2016
Graduate Accountancy Programs	17	10	18	23	18

### **Average GPA**

Academic Year	2014-2015	2015-2016
MAcc Graduates	3.7	3.7

## **CPA Exam Passing Rates**

Year	2013	2014	2015
<b>Candidates Sitting for CPA</b>	52	57	80
Sections Attempted	123	144	200
Passing Percentage	33.3%	50.7%	42.5%
Average Score	68	73.8	71.5

## **Companies Offering Internships**



HUNT Hunt Companies

**Internal Revenue Service** 

Johnson & Johnson KPMG KPMG PriceWaterhouseCooper PWC
Southwest Airlines Southwest\*
US Army Audit Agency



